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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

ORIGINAL DATE 1/23/08

SPONSOR King LAST UPDATED _____ HB 422

SHORT TITLE Trophies, Medals and Related Costs SB _____

ANALYST Propst

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY08	FY09		
	\$10.0	Recurring	General Fund

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

Responses Received From

Department of Finance and Administration (DFA)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

House Bill 422, Making an Appropriation for Trophies, Medals and Related Costs, appropriates \$10.0 thousand from the general fund to DFA for the purpose purchasing trophies, medals and printing costs fro school activities, including athletics, chess, speech and debate.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The appropriation of \$10.0 thousand contained in this bill is a recurring expense to the general fund. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of FY09 shall revert to the general fund.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

DFA notes that HB 422 does not specify what types of "school activities" or types of schools. The way the bill reads now, any type of trophy or medal for any type of organization would be eligible to apply for the fund. The language infers this would be a school rewards program, but technically does not specify.

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